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CITIZENS' RECRUITING COMMITTEE MEETING

Held Thursday Night--J. W. Davidson Recommended for Position of Local Recruiting Officer

The meeting of the West Northumberland Citizens' Recruiting Committee, adjourned from Wednesday night, as held on Thursday evening 2nd instant. W. A. Park presiding. Other members present: Judge Lawlor, Ald. D. Ritchie, Sec.; Rev. Dr. Harrison, J. D. Creighton, A. A. Davidson, C. E. Fish, Mayor Stothart, Capt. Barry was also present and assisted the committee. Very few citizens attended.

New Inspector Appointed By Council Monday Night

W. H. Finley, of St. John, Appointed Scott Act Inspector at Increased Salary of \$75 to \$90 per Month--Night Policeman to be Appointed at \$60 per Month

COUNCIL WAS DIVIDED OVER MATTER OF INCREASING SALARIES

A special meeting of the Town Council, called for the purpose of appointing new policemen and Scott Act Inspector, was held in the Council Chamber Monday night. His Worship Mayor Stothart presiding. Present: Ald. Stables, Hayward, Doyle and Stuart. Ald. Ritchie and McKay were absent.

CORP. MANDERSON GIVEN RECEPTION

Citizens' of Newcastle Gathered Last Night to Do Honor to Newcastle's First Returned Hero

Corporal Robt. F. Manderon, who recently returned from Europe, the first of Newcastle's soldiers to come home wounded, was given a rousing public reception in Town Hall last night. Corporal Manderon was among the first to volunteer, going with the 12th Battery, afterwards joining the 10th Battery, with which he went through the battles of Ypres, St. Julien and Ghenvich, in the latter of which he was so badly wounded that he was mustered out as permanently disabled.

Major W. H. Belyea Second in Command

Late Orders at Front Announce Some Changes in the 26th Battalion.

Late orders at the front announced some changes in the 26th of interest here: Major W. H. Belyea is now second in command of the Battalion, and Major A. E. G. MacKenzie takes over command of "A" Company.

Miramichi Resident Deal in Houlton, Me.

Mrs. Elizabeth Peabody, Widow of Late Stephen Peabody Formerly of Newcastle

Houlton, Dec. 1--Again the town of Houlton mourns the death of another of its oldest citizens in the death of Mrs. Elizabeth Peabody, widow of the late Stephen F. Peabody.

Mrs. Hannah Arbeu

The death of Mrs. Hannah Arbeu of Upper Blackville, occurred on the 29th ult. Deceased, who was the oldest resident of Upper Blackville and enjoyed good health up to about two months ago, was 88 years old.

Mrs. Nelson Arbeu

Upper Blackville was saddened on the 24th ult. by the sudden death of Mrs. Nelson Arbeu, who was formerly Miss Mamie Martin.

SUSPENDED OPERATION FOR PRESENT

With the exception of some repair work, the Roger Miller Co. have suspended operations at Point du Chene for the winter.

RUSSIANS TAKE TWELVE MILES OF GERMAN TRENCHES

London, Dec. 4--The Russians have taken twelve miles of trenches, 700 prisoners and a large quantity of munitions and food supplies on the Tatum road, west of Riga, according to a despatch from Geneva to the Exchange Telegraph Company.

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December 18 President Wilson's Wedding Day

Washington, Dec. 4--President Wilson is said to be planning to be married on Saturday, December 18, at Mrs. Galt's home here.

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## Grand Fleet Will Soon Burst Forth

### Britain's Formidable Line of Fighting Dogs, Fettered in The Unknown Waters, Soon to be Released

The invisibility of the Grand Fleet is one of the most remarkable of all the remarkable things in this war. No one dares say where it is. Its operations, proceeding ceaselessly night and day since the first rumblings of the great war, are still shrouded behind an impenetrable veil. Far-reaching though his work and formidable in triumph his results, Admiral Jellicoe has still to publish his first despatch.

When one speaks to men attached to the squadron, hidden away "somewhere," about the fine fleet under Beatty's command, or the great ships forming his squadron, they emphatically reply: "That is only the cruiser squadron. It is nothing to the Grand Fleet."

And the reverential way in which the sailors talk about the Grand Fleet and Jellicoe's ships conveys a wealth of meaning.

**A Lot Untold**  
The Archbishop of Canterbury visited the fleet, and three eminent Scottish divines and a party of Frenchmen were privileged to see the fleet as well, but none of them told anything about the fleet that was not known before the war to even the "longshoremen." They told us nothing of the wonderful new mine-sweepers or the equally wonderful new submarine destroyers. They were silent about the guns, the new battleships and the speed of the new battle cruisers.

The new mine sweepers need not now be employed upon the sweeping of mines from our estuaries of the open sea, for the German mine is a very rare thing, and the special boats constructed to deal with the submarine pirates were built to plans after our vivid experience of destroying them, and not at all necessary to combat the few remaining submarines the Germans can send to sea. These destroyers are possessed of incredible speed and they turn almost in their own length. What little remains of the submarine menace is not a problem for the old boats, and the new craft are going to be used somewhere.

**A Mystery Ship**  
So, to, are the guns on that great new battleship which I find the fleet not many days ago. The few on shore who knew of the leviathan's unheralded coming watched with well justified pride the passing of its way to the battle squadron of the supreme word in naval construction, and as the bulk of the ocean went they said to each other: "The guns mounted on that boat are not intended to hit ships." No, nor will they, they will crumble what they hit into ashes and into dust.

The Germans recently launched a new battleship, the Von der Hindenburg. There were realistic pictures in the German papers, of the ceremony; even in this country excellent illustrations appeared of the great ship leaving the ways. But we have a different way of doing things here. Legions of men work night and day amongst the great steel ribs in the shipyards, legions more are at work in the engine rooms, and still more legions are in the forges of Newcastle, Birkenhead, Barrow and Portland, casting the guns that will soon make the British nation open the eyes of the whole world.

The great ships are finished silently and secretly. They pass out to their appointed place. We hear nothing. All is done behind the veil, but they are there. They are in the battle squadron.

**Far Seeing Germans**  
When, in 1890, Lord Salisbury sold Heligoland to Germany, it is not probable that one of the secret considerations of the Cabinet of that time was the knowledge that the island was rapidly crumbling away and that, at the then current rate of sea erosion, in less than twenty-five years the North Sea would make a clean sweep over the disintegrating rubbleheap.

But Potsdam also knew all about the crumbling island and—give them credit—it was amazing how they foresaw their chance, with what ingenuity they grasped their opportunity. Instantly they came into possession, the Germans proceeded to spend three million pounds in concrete and steel in building up the cliffs. They defied the broads of the sea, and today they have an area of perhaps two miles, and behind they have the harbor. The Germans in pondering over their movements a quarter of a century ahead saw—in the dim outline of their naval policy—the shadow of a harbor need.

## Russians' Next Movement In Millions Not Army Corps

### The Armies of the Czar are in Better Shape Than For Months, and Quite Capable of Moving Forward at Any Point Declares a Russian Official.

At the Russian front, via Petrograd, Dec. 2, via London, Dec. 3—(1.55 a. m.)—The next forward movement of the Russian armies will be in a number of millions, not army corps, according to the statement of a high army official. The Russian are in better shape than for many months, said this official, and quite capable of moving forward at any point. But a new broad plan of campaign contemplates much more than the taking of towns and territory in better shape than for many months, said this official, and quite capable of moving forward at any point. But a new broad plan of campaign contemplates much more than the taking of towns and territory in better shape than for many months, said this official, and quite capable of moving forward at any point.

The Russian staff is well satisfied with the net result of the strategy during the past summer, and is asserted, is willing to bide its time for the inception of the new campaign. A contented army, well fed, clothed and housed and weekly steam-cleaned is the first Russian army, as seen by the Associated Press correspondent during a ten days visit to the positions along the eastern front.

The army is in such permanent winter quarters, but is ready at an hour's notice to march.

Within a mile of the "ring" and firing is kept up intermittently, day and night, both from the trenches and by the batteries—are thousands of men camped in half under ground cabins of logs covered with soil and soil, proof against cold and almost bomb proof. Abundant forests furnish plenty of material and the men are clever at cutting and concentrating. There are quarters for the officers and for the men, officers club and mess quarters, and, strange of all, steam baths, in which the men take turns at being thoroughly steamed and scrubbed. They are then furnished with fresh under garments.

In one section inspected by the correspondent 2500 men were camped in a patch of woodland, twenty acres in extent, but the impression gained, on a drive through the camp was of one tenth that number. An enemy airplane would have difficulty in locating the camp at all.

The bath houses of log construction with a tight compartment containing a stone stove or furnace. Shelves range around these sides, on which the bathers lie. Water thrown on the hot stove provides a dense another coast?

These are Jellicoe's secrets. But the Fleet, which has grown in strength every week since the war started, and now is so formidable that its power on the sea is immeasurable as it is incomparable, will not have its energies held long in bolts. Its Niagara of power will soon belch forth.

The water is of great depth and it falls away like a lake sheer from the mountain sides. Within recent times the hillsides have been transformed, and it is now a supply base with every modern equipment. Our battleships can come right up to the land under their own steam, and from the wooden piers be loaded with whatever they require, or pipes turned on to the enormous oil tanks.

This harbor is placed exactly where we would design it to be, and away in the northern fastnesses there are others. We have a harbor where the fleets of the whole world could lie or manoeuvre, but no civilian can approach it.

The effect does not always rest behind these two headlands. It has work outside; much of it, it is exhausting, dangerous work, but the men keep it and are always ready. Out on the high road the blueackets are met route marching, and they look as hard as nails.

Canada, Australia and New Zealand will be in the next sea fight. It will give joy in our Overseas Dominions to know that when we come to strike the next blow on the sea the Colonies will be given their opportunity to strike for freedom of the seas. When the writer looked on the Fleet the other day Beatty's Lion crouched, the furthest out ship on the anchorage. Immediately at her head lay the Tiger and the Princess Royal, and then further up the line that stretched for miles came the Canada, the Australia, and the New Zealand.

To those of us at home it gives new courage to know that the ships from the Colonies are with us. In the far ends of the Empire there must be pleasure when they leave the ships they built for the Motherland will be the first line of battle in our next move.

**Canada's Pride**  
To the Dominion, especially, the news that the Canada is in commission will be peculiarly pleasurable. Formidable as the Lion, the Tiger, and the Princess Royal were, the giant of the Maple Leaf appeared to give one more vivid touch of fighting power. Into the grey waves her lines faded and she stood a naked fighting machine stripped to the waterline, a mighty heavyweight, perfectly shaped and fashioned to battle, with not an unnecessary atom showing on the massive bulldog frame.

No one can conjecture where or when the next blow will be struck. Will these terrible guns first blow in to rain that rubbleheap of the North Sea and leave the waves to wash away the dust? Will the Grand Fleet move out from the natural, God-given harbor and wipe from the face of the sea the pitched-up shelter of concrete and steel Heligoland, or shall we go right on and cut our way on

## Corp. Manderson Returns From Front

### Received Seventeen Wounds at The Battle of Givenchy

(Moncton Transcript)  
Suffering from no less than seventeen wounds received at Givenchy in June, 1915, Corporal Robert F. Manderson, a former member of the Moncton police force, but for some time past a resident of Newcastle, arrived in the city Friday to spend a short time with friends here.

Corporal Manderson was a member of the famous 10th Winnipeg Regiment, the "Little Black Devils" of which Michael Leahy, of Moncton, also included home to Canada, was formerly a member.

Corporal Manderson got home to Newcastle on Thursday night and on Friday came down to Moncton to see some old friends. He plainly shows the effect of his seventeen wounds and it will be some time yet ere he fully recovers.

The Transcript's correspondent at Newcastle forwards the following despatch concerning the home-coming of Corporal Manderson:

Newcastle, N. B., Dec. 3.—The first of Newcastle's wounded heroes to arrive home from the battle fields of France is Corp. Robert F. Manderson, who came on the Maritime Express last night. Corp. Manderson has on less than seventeen wounds received while fighting with the 10th Canadian Battalion near Givenchy in June 20th last. He enlisted in St. John shortly after the outbreak of war and went to England with the 12th Battalion, and was sent to France in April with a draft for the 10th. During his absence at the front Corp. Manderson had the misfortune to lose his wife, and his home-coming was saddened by his bereavement.

Tranches at one point visited were scarcely 200 yards from those of the Germans. There was a labyrinth of deep passages intercepting one another, braced by stakes. Soldiers stood at the port holes, alert for the least sign of a movement across the way and keeping up a desultory fire day and night. Over head at intervals whistled shells from the Russian and German batteries.

## BLISSFIELD

Dec. 1.—The weather for the past few days has been very disagreeable. Mrs. Ronald Harley and Mrs. Edward Hogan spent Thursday with friends in Blackville.

Miss Ida Sutherland was in Doaktown Wednesday. Miss Cassie Connors is spending her vacation in Blissfield. Miss Hilda Porter is visiting friends in Blissfield.

Mr. Ronalds and Miles Weaver have returned home from the West, after spending the past few months there.

Mr. J. Arbeau and sister Katie, spent Sunday in Blissfield. Mrs. John Simon and Miss Bernetta Gratton spent Sunday with Mrs. Matthew Bowler.

Miss Martha Cashion is staying with her sister, Mrs. Ed. Bowes. Miss Dora and Mary Weaver spent Saturday and Sunday with friends at the Forks.

**FORMER NEW BRUNSWICKER WAS VERY WEALTHY MAN**  
Fredericton, Dec. 4.—W. Atlee Burpee, seedman of Philadelphia, formerly of Sheffield, left an estate of \$500,000 to \$700,000. The bulk goes to his wife and two sons.



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Local and Provincial

Funny! The police this week were unable to accommodate any persons desiring arrest for drunkenness...

New Branch for Royal Bank The Royal Bank of Canada has just opened a branch at Stewiacke...

P. E. I. Making Progress Recruiting for the P. E. I. Highland regiment is making rapid progress...

Parcel Post Blotters Parcel post blotters at The Advocate Job Rooms for the asking...

Made a Temporary Colonel Mr. R. B. Bennett, R. C. M. P. for Calgary, Alberta, a former Alton County man...

Worth Remembering Did it ever occur to you, dear reader, that you were getting more reading in The Advocate than any other county paper...

Looking for Deserters Two N. S. O's of the 73rd Royal Highlanders, Montreal, are enquiring about the maritime provinces...

Arrived Safely in England A cable to Mr. W. B. Snowball says the Saxonia arrived safely in England after a quick trip...

Memorial of Bridge It is proposed to place on the western side of the old Suspension Bridge at St. John...

I. R. C. Employee Dead Ariabel Duffy, a well known resident of Moncton, died suddenly about 11 o'clock last Wednesday morning...

In Flying Aviation Corps Mr. Gerald Creaghan, son of J. D. Creaghan, has been transferred from the Canadian Overseas Construction Corps...

Bullet Through Cap Fred Heckbert had a close call two weeks ago in Flanders. The bullet of a German sniper passed through the peak of his cap...

Ever Thusy, We Fear For deep, dim and almost impassable streets, Summerside has every place of its size skinned a mile...

Newspaper Man Killed Among the first of promising young Nova Scotia journalists to lay down his life in the cause of king and country was Howard V. Wallace...

Appointment at St. John Rev. H. T. Montgomery, son of Canon Montgomery and lately located at Blackville, has been temporarily appointed rector of Trinity Church, St. John...

SYDNEY FOR UNION Presbyterian congregation in Sydney and vicinity voted as follows on the question of union:

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Men Are Drilling The recruits here for the 132nd battalion began drilling on Thursday.

Harcourt Men Enlist Harcourt, N. B., has given thirty-two men to the services of the Empire. They are in the 104th.

140th is Authorized The formation of the 140th Battalion, including the surplus from the 104th, has been officially authorized...

Drowned at St. John William Andrews, engineer of the tug Victoria, of the Norton Griffith Company fleet, was drowned in the St. John harbor Friday morning...

Given Warm Welcome The citizens tendered Pte. Frank Ulock a civic reception on Thursday night, on his return, a wounded soldier, from the front.

Presto—Change—Quarto! A lady residing on Charlotte St., Friday morning left a milk bottle and a quarter on her doorstep for the milk man...

Given Warm Reception Private Ned Sargeant, of Campbellton, who arrived home on Thursday morning, was given a royal reception by the citizens of that town.

Nurse Returns From Hospital at Front Miss Lottie E. Corbett, of Moncton, was on active service about three months.

Miss Lottie E. Corbett, trained nurse of this city, returned Thursday evening on No. 134 express from Boston and New York...

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CHURCH DIRECTORY SUNDAY SERVICES

United Baptist Church Rev. M. S. Richardson Morning service 11 a. m. Sunday School, 2:30 p. m. Preaching service, Dec. 13, 3 p. m. Evening service, Newcastle, 7 p. m. Mid-Week Service - Wednesday Prayer and testimony meeting 7:30 p. m.

St. Andrew's Church (Anglican) Rev. W. J. Bate Holy Communion - Every Sunday at 8:00 a. m. and first Sunday in month at 11:00 a. m. Morning and Evening Prayer - Matins at 11:00 (except 3rd Sunday in month, no service). Evensong at 7:00. Daily Prayers 7:30 a. m. and 5:30 p. m. Wednesday Evensong 7:30.

St. Mary's Church (Catholic) (During winter months from November to May.) Early Mass with sermon, etc., 9:00 a. m. Late Mass with sermon, etc., 11:00 a. m. St. Aloysius School for boys, 1:30. Children baptized, when there are baptisms, 2:00 p. m. Sunday School Classes, 2:30 p. m. Vespers, with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament, etc., 7:00 p. m.

Methodist Church Rev. Dr. Harrison Sunday Services 11:00 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. Prayer and Praise Service, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

The Kirk St. James Presbyterian Church Rev. S. J. MacArthur, M. A., B. D. Workshop Sunday, 11:00 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. Sabbath School, 2:30 p. m.

Salvation Army Capt. P. Forbes Holiness Meeting - 11 a. m. Praise and Testimony Meeting - 3:00 p. m. Salvation Meeting - 8 p. m. Public Meetings - Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays - 8:00 p. m. Pte. Earle Macdonald of the 132nd Battalion, spent part of last week with relatives in St. John.

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and cases which require immediate attention are placed in this car. Miss Corbett was loud in her praise of the treatment accorded to the party and paid a tribute to the British Red Cross Society, who made their stay in London a most pleasant one. She also spoke in the highest terms of Agent General F. W. Summers, who was very kind, and entertained some of the nurses at dinner and also to a drive in his motor car. The party had a most enjoyable trip and Miss Corbett would have liked to remain had her leave of absence with the Moncton authorities not expired this month. About forty of the party remained. A new unit has gone over from Harvard to replace this unit, and among the Moncton nurses with the second unit is Miss Florence Hoeken, formerly of the Moncton hospital staff. Miss Corbett only had a few pictures taken by her during her stay in France as their cameras were taken away from them and not returned until shortly before they left on their return. She also had a number of bullets, one being a "dum-dum." These bullets were presented to her by soldiers who had picked them up on the field. Miss Corbett remarked that soldiers before going under an operation would ask for the bullets which would be taken from them. The nurses are all known as sisters, this being an English custom. Miss Corbett has a very interesting document in the shape of her passport which is issued by the Under Secretary of State for external affairs. The owner's picture is in the upper left corner and the document is signed and sealed by "Arthur" Governor General of Canada.

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WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 1ST 1915

GERMANY'S "SUCCESSSES"

The speech of the President of the German Reichstag at the opening session of that assembly is that of a man who is either wilfully blind to what is actually taking place, or what is infinitely more likely to be the case—is deliberately desirous of being deceptive. His allusions to the tremendous successes which have come to the German arms will be received with considerable amusement by those who know and appreciate the real situation, and such statements as he made will not make the task of explaining to the German people, when the time comes for it to be done, just how Germany came to be knocked out in the end, any the easier.

Coincident with this grandiloquent speech of the President of the Reichstag, comes the Kaiser's announcement that he has closed his Serbian campaign. The statement is probably intended to disarm the growing strength of the Allied preparations at Saloniki, or it may be meant as an intimation to Bulgaria that having pulled the chestnuts out of the fire for Germany, she is now to be abandoned. But in either case what a campaign to boast of! What a glorious feat of arms! Serbia, with its three million people, attacked on the north by Austria and Germany, and at the same time stabbed in the back by Bulgaria, who alone counts half as many people again as Serbia! It must be with a curious sense of pride that the Kaiser announces the success of this triple drive, although he is strangely silent about his reason for abandoning it so suddenly. Surely his 65,000,000 subjects will be thrilled by the latest victory for the German arms!

The outside world will scarcely share their pride in this achievement or indeed in the German successes altogether. The only real victories the Germans have won have been over two little nations, and have been gained by sheer weight of numbers and superior armament. Man for man, the German soldier is no match for any of his adversaries, if only because he invariably avoids their cold steel. But what of that? Has he not performed the glorious feat of clearing up Belgium with its 8,000,000 people? And has he not driven the 2,000,000 of Serbia out of their own country?

Matters elsewhere are not going so well. He is held every day more firmly on his western front, by foes whose stronghold is ever tightening. His position is growing critical in the East. His people at home are crying out for bread. His losses are colossal. And at the end of it all, his only successes have been in Belgium and Serbia, against foes whose numbers, as compared with his own, are contemptible.

True his submarines have sunk quite a few trading vessels and drowned hundreds of women and children. His airships have dealt death and destruction to peaceful English villages. His troops have made advances by the use of poisonous gases. His heroic armies have committed infamies which will render the name of Germany execrated for ever. But even the Kaiser can scarcely call these things victories, or if he can, he is entirely welcome to any satisfaction that he can obtain from the claim. No wonder the latest reports from Serbia represent him as being in poor health and morose in temperament.

A TOO SENSITIVE PRESIDENT

Despatches from Washington recently rather indicate that the Wilson Government is displeased at the publication of a report on the condition of certain prison camps in Germany made by Ambassador Gerard, the U. S. representative at Berlin. It is to be hoped that President Wilson will not carry his policy in this matter so far as to interfere with the usefulness of such services as can be performed in this connection by Mr. Gerard. The value of a report such as the Ambassador made is very little if it cannot be made public. A true report of the manner in which prisoners are treated in Germany ought not to be offensive to the Germans, and would not be if they were treating their prisoners right. If the Germans are at fault, the neutral Ambassador has a greater opportunity for service in proclaiming the fact to the world.

Neutral ambassadors will be of

FACTS ABOUT THE WAR

A BULLETIN OF INFORMATION PUBLISHED BY THE PARIS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

On September 24th, M. Barzilai, a member of the Italian government, in a speech at Naples, mentioning the Australian ultimatum to Serbia, the starting point of the present war, made an important disclosure, corroborating those formerly made by Messrs. Giolitti and Salandra, and Mr. Take Jonevce. On July 14, 1914, eight days before the ultimatum. Baron Wangelheim, German Ambassador to Constantinople, when conversing with Senator Garroni, the Italian Ambassador in Turkey, declared that "the Austrian note to Serbia would be such as to render war inevitable." M. Barzilai rightly compares this confidential disclosure to the following phrase in the preface of the German White Book, distributed in the Reichstag on August 15, 1915: "We were fully aware that any eventual military action on the part of Austria-Hungary against Serbia, would oblige Russia to come forward, and might involve us in a war, by reason of our obligations as Allies." In the same diplomatic document we find added: "So we have left Austria entirely free to act against Serbia. But we have taken no part in the manner of organizing the conversation reported by M. Barzilai; just as it had formerly denied the fact that a similar disclosure had been made, on July 23rd, 1914, to the French Minister at Munich, M. Auzan, by the President of the Bavarian Council, who acknowledged then that "he was well aware of the Austrian Note." Un-biased and well-informed minds have long been eluded as to the real causes of the war. These successive disclosures, each concordant with the other, can only confirm the rational opinion they have already formed. But official Germany now feels the heavy weight of the responsibility she bears towards her people and the world at large. The telegram, sent on September 25th, ult., by the Emperor William to the Secretary of State for France, concerning the recent loan, bears evidence of this. It is contained in the following: "The German people thus show to the enemy, and to the whole world, that they are unanimous in their determination to repulse the daring attacks of our enemies, and to carry on this war which has been forced upon us, until final victory has been achieved." This is a legend that will soon die out, even in Germany.

The War from October 1st to 15th.—All along the Western Front artillery firing has been uninterrupted, but the most important fighting took place in Artois and in Champagne, as well as in the region comprised between Seille and Vesouze. In Artois on October 8th, the enemy attacked little use if they cannot do anything but compliment the nation to which they are accredited. They ought to be able to speak out when conditions are intolerably brutal. The attitude of the Washington authorities, if correctly reported, offers little encouragement to Mr. Gerard for further service to humanity of this kind.

GRECE'S ATTITUDES The wobbling policy which Greece is following in the matter of her attitude towards the Balkan campaign, prompts a contemporary to suggest that it would not be amiss to have a whole week's supply of headlines set up in advance. Something like this: Monday GREECE TO JOIN ENTENTE Tuesday GREECE WON'T JOIN ALLIES Wednesday GREEK CABINET FOR ALLIES Thursday GREECE TO AID AUSTRO-GERMANS Friday GREEK AID LIKELY FOR ALLIES Saturday NO HOPE OF GREEK AID FOR ALLIES

POLICE APPOINTMENTS The action taken by the Council at its special meeting held on Monday night re police matters will no doubt be interesting to the ratepayers when they have become acquainted with matters decided upon. While the Council was divided in the matter, the motion to appoint an outside man as inspector, increasing his salary from \$900 per year to \$1080, was carried. The second section of the Police Committee's recommendation to appoint a night policeman at \$60 per month, as increase of from \$400 to \$720 per year also carried.

Just whether the night man will be called upon to do Scott Act work or not remains to be decided upon, but one fact remains: The inspector is to receive an increase of \$180 per year. If the night man has to do Scott Act work, \$500 of his \$720 salary will then be chargeable to the Scott Act account, which would mean his present salary of \$400 for police duty would be cut down to \$220, and this \$180 decrease of his police salary would be given to the

the British and French positions near Loos, with almost two whole army corps. These troops, massed together, suffered considerable losses (the killed numbering nearly 8000 men). They did not succeed in cutting the Allies from any of the positions conquered on the preceding days. In Champagne sharp fighting is still going on round Tahure and the hillcock bearing this name was carried by the French troops. More towards the South-East, their action had as an objective the mound of Mesnil. Nearly every day more or less progress has been made in spite of the counter-attacks of the enemy who has suffered very severe losses on each occasion. In Lorraine, he continually sent reconnoitring parties against our lines, but was unable to get through them anywhere. The struggle was especially severe in the region south of the Arricourt railway.

On the Russian Front, the German offensive has been checked except round Dvinsk, where some very sharp fighting has been going on, resulting in successive advantages for both parties. In the region of the Lakes, to the south of Dvinsk, the invader has been gradually driven back, towards the West and South. In the marshy region of Pripiet, the enemy, whose movements are impeded by the muddy soil, finds his communications likely to be cut off by the Russian advance-guard. Still further south, in the region of the Sty (the scene of action for general Ivanov's offensive), in the region of Tarnopol, and even in Bukovina, the situation is becoming more and more favorable to our Allies.

On the Italian Front, the snow has prevented operations on the mountain heights. Along the Isonzo, and on the Carso, the war of trenches is still going on. In the Gallipoli Peninsula the struggle is going forward to the advantage of the Allies. In the Serbian Front, the German troops, supported by formidable artillery, have succeeded, after some very sharp fighting in the streets, in occupying Belgrade. They also forced a crossing over the Danube, near Semendria, but the gallant Serbian army offered stout resistance, and inflicted severe losses on the foe.

Bulgaria, blind to her own interests, has joined the armies of the Central Powers. A Bulgarian army has marched into Serbia towards Knjaevatz, and has suffered a defeat, the consequences of which may be very important. The Allied troops are landing at Salonika and marching forward to the assistance of Serbia. On the Caucasian Front, artillery fighting in the regions of the coasts along the Arkhara. Rifle and gun firing to the South-East of the Lake of Tortum. On the North-West shore of Lake Vozdarski, some Turkish offensives have been victoriously repulsed by our Russian Allies.

Scott Act inspector to make up the increase from the present salary paid of \$900, to \$1080. Either that, or should the night policeman not be required to do Scott Act work, the ratepayers will be called upon for an increased assessment of \$500 yearly, an increase for the inspector of \$180 yearly, and \$220 for the night policeman. The matter is open for question as to whether the ratepayers will be agreeable to paying an increase of \$180 to an inspector, while on the other hand there seems to be a little discrimination against the night man, in this, that while for police work only he is receiving an increase of \$220 per year, should he be required to do Scott Act work also, he is receiving \$180 less per year than the present salary of \$900, and in all probability he will be a local man, or the present officer retained.

Californian Has Arrived With Troops

Sailed from St. John on November 23rd With Western Men

Ottawa, Dec. 6.—It is officially announced that the troopship Californian which sailed from Canada on the 22nd of November, has arrived safely in England. She had the following troops on board: The Ninth Regiment Mounted Rifles, (Winnipeg), 27 officers 599 men; 52nd Battalion, (Port Arthur), 40 officers, 1032 men; draft, medical corps (from the West), four officers, 100 men; Royal Canadian Dragoons, one officer, 50 men; Railway Construction Corps, one officer, 20 men; details, seven officers, 16 men, doctors for regular army, 11 officers.

NOT THE ONLY PLACE WHERE IT HAS HAPPENED

(Toronto Globe) "A young lady in Vancouver put a note in a pair of socks she had knit asking the soldier who got them to write her. She received a letter from a man in a northern logging camp stating that he had bought the socks for 65 cents, which goes to show that there are some skunks working for charity, and patriotic funds," says The Roanville (Sask.) Record. The matter cannot be permitted to rest there. Who was the skunk?

BORN At Newcastle, N. B., Dec. 2nd to Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Black, a daughter.

St. Mary's Academy, Douglastown School

Standing of the Leading Pupils For the Month of November

Following is the Honor Roll of Saint Mary's Academy for month of November. Senior Department—Alice Campbell, Margaret Callahan, Lottie McWilliam, Gertrude Ryan, Cleora McLaughlin, Bernetta Keating, May Dolan, Doris Buckley, Florence Gallagher, Helen Neff, Annie Ryan, Millie Creamer, Marion McCluskey, Cecelia Murphy, Isabel Long, Estelle Theriault. Pupils of Senior Department making 75 per cent. in examinations during month: Alice Campbell 96.6; Margaret Callahan, 95; Robert Ryan, 92.8; Lottie McWilliam, 91.3; Cleora McLaughlin, 89.2; Bernetta Keating, 94.3; May Dolan, 89.5; Helen Neff, 83.9; Florence Gallagher, 82.8; Doris Buckley, 81.5; Annie Ryan, 77.5; Marion McCluskey, 81.7; Cecelia Murphy, 75.6; Nellie Creamer, 73.3.

Commercial Department—Bessie Murray, Lorene Goodfellow, Mary Goodfellow, Annie Bell, Louise Ryan, Merion Kenneally, Rose A. Gavin, Louise Atchison, Hazel Clark, Jennie Symington, Hilma Robertson, Cecelia Young, Anna Mitchell, Carrie Sullivan, Stella Bourque. Intermediate Department—Mona Robinson, Bessie Creamer, Margaret Dolan, Mona McWilliam, Emilienne LeBlanc, Helen Lawlor, Anna Keys, Marie Caughlan, Florine Wright, Florence Scully, Yvonne Dufresne, Jean Black, May McEvoy, Marion Cahoon, Cecelia McGrath, Irene Fern, Dorothy Lawlor, Lila Sullivan, Beatrice Dolan, Lenore Ryan, Carmel McCaron, Kathleen Melanson, Isabel Scott, Beatrice LeBlanc, Helen Gallagher, Dora Holmes, Margaret Campbell, Mary Turner.

Junior Department—Bertha McGowan, Georgina Dolan, Clare Murray, Hannah Fogin, Annie Savage, Ella Bernrd, Florence McEvoy, Mary Black, Laura Black, Helen Dunn, Bella Dunn, Annie Gormery, Adele Farrah, Florence Murphy, Josie Rezan, Veronica Fogin, Helen Black, Florence Dunn, Luetta Gabriel, Susie Mullins, Jessie Keating, Mary Hall.

Primary Department—Dorothy Ryan, Annie Tibbott, May Mullins, Margaret Buckley, Helena Daughney, Gladys Donovan, Alma Paulin, Helen Fraser, Margaret Fallon, Kathleen McCone, Alice McEvoy, Gladys Hogan, Virginia Hayes, Annie Gallah, Effie Ryan, Martha Black, Francis Ryan, Nora Dunn, Hil-da McLean.

DOUGLASTOWN

Following is the standing of the leading pupils of Douglastown Superior School in their examinations for November. Grade IX—Win Jessamin 77, Marquerite Craig 76, Florence Breen 64, Burton Anderson 59, Kathleen Cameron 58, Stella Bransfield 57, Hazel Wood 53. Perfect attendance—W. Jessamin, B. Anderson. Grade VIII—Christina Firth 82, Annie Benn 78, Clyde Gulliver 66, Bertha Atkinson and Mollie Mullin 58, Arthur Roy 55, Robt. Wood 54, Arthur Wood 52. Perfect attendance—M. Mullin, B. Atkinson. Grade VII—Dutton Walsh 65, Margaret Kirkpatrick 62, Jack Cowie 55, Amos Vye 52, Barbara Craig 50. Perfect attendance—B. Walsh. Grade VI—Rudyard Henderson 94, Weldon Jardine 89, Josie Breen 85, Eloise Anderson 85, Willie Sickle 82, Jean Gulliver 77, Lisa Leifsgren 76, Annie Young 76, Annie Ryan 68, Margaret Simpson 68, Maggie Wood 67, Marion Grey 65, Rachel Anderson 64, Harold Mullins 63, Annie Nowlan 61, Gladys Sleeth, 60, Clara Atkinson 60, George Jessamin 55, Yvonne Vatoru, 54, May Kirkpatrick 62. Perfect attendance—M. Simpson, C. Atkinson, J. Gulliver, E. Anderson, G. Sleeth.

Grade V—Max Russell 68, Marion Cameron 63, Bella Wood 58, Jack McVye 57, Willie Firth 56, Dorothy Atkinson 55, Margaret Williston 54, Jessie Cameron 52, Gordon Dickens 50. Perfect attendance—M. Sleeth, L. Wood, B. Kirkpatrick, D. Atkinson, M. Russell. Grade IV—May Sickle 58, Jack Craig 54, Audrey Bule 52, Harry Simpson 76, Bert Wood 70, Leitha Spurr 67, Florence Mullin 63, Helen Dickens 61, Emily Daigle 60, Patrick Lloyd 55, May Dinan 51.—Perfect attendance—H. Dickens, M. Sickle, H. Simpson. Grade III—Elsie Anderson 99, Helen Kirkpatrick 97, Mary Sullivan 96, Frank Russell, 93, Kathleen Young 92, Genevieve Gelkie 89, Mona Woods 83, Harry Boudreau 70, Mary Boudreau 65, Cecelia Lee 60, Fred Vye 59, Anna Louie 55.—Perfect attendance—E. Anderson, F. Russell. Grade II—Ray Simpson, Fred Simpson, Richard Anderson 89, Harvie Jessamin 88, Edythe Gulliver 87, Pearl Sleeth 85, Marjorie Henderson 83, Arthur Spurr 82, Harvey Gray 78, Osborne Sickle 76, Hazel Mullin 71, Roy Gray 70, James Williston 62, Berendetta Dinan, Frank Wood 60, Rudolph Craig 53.—Perfect attendance—P. Sleeth, R. Anderson, J. Williston, R. Gray, E. Gulliver, H. Mullin, R. Simpson.

Grade I—Frances Sullivan 91, Stella Nolan 90, Leslie Anderson 87, Richard Lee 82, John Kirkpatrick 77, Alf Simpson, Florence Gray 70, Cornelius Dinan, Joseph Cowie 50. Perfect attendance—F. Gray, A. Simpson, L. Anderson.

Don't Put off Till Tomorrow the Christmas Shopping You can do at CREAGHAN'S To-day

GLOVES As Xmas Gifts Will be appreciated

Give Him or Her a pair of Perrin Guaranteed Gloves this Xmas. They are the most serviceable of all Gifts. We have all colors, Greys, Browns, Tans, Natural, Blacks, Whites, etc. Every pair is absolutely guaranteed and prices are as reasonable as ever. All our fine Gloves are French make and prices range at \$1.00 to 1.75 in the short lengths and at \$1.75 to 2.75 in the long lengths. We have an endless variety of unlined, silk lined, wool lined and fur lined, gloves in Swede, Mocha and Dressed Kid. Priced from 85c to \$2.50. Men's Woolen Gloves in all Colors.....25c to 2.50 Ladies' Woolen Gloves all Colors.....25c to 1.00



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REMOVED R. W. Crocker, Newcastle 83-11 E. A. McCurdy, Newcastle 112

CHANGED J. D. Volkema, Millerton, 84-3 to 101-23 Miller Tanning Extract Co., Millerton, 107-3 to 84-3 B. N. Call, Newcastle. 107-2 to 84-2

W. LEWIS, Exchange Manager, Newcastle, N. B., Nov. 10th, 1915 42-1yr.

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Shoe Packs! My stock is now complete, and having bought at the lowest possible prices I am in a position to give the best values in town, either wholesale or retail. Shoe Packs Re-bottomed G. M. LAKE. Newcastle, N. B. The Harness & Shoe Pack Man

MAY COMMAND 140TH A copy of the survey bill of these logs can be seen at the office of the undersigned, Millerton; Miramichi Lumber Company and J. B. Snowball Company, Chatham; and D. & J. Ritchie Company, Newcastle. Also, sealed tenders will be accepted for 3,500 pieces, more or less, of logs to be taken where they are on the Tracadie Beach. These will be tendered for by the piece to be counted as soon as possible. 50 per cent. cash will be required when the tender is accepted, and the remaining 50 per cent. when they are finally counted. JAMES ROBINSON, Millerton, N. B. Dated at Chatham, N. B. Nov. 9, 1915 46-5.

Tenders for Logs SEALED TENDERS, to be opened on the 15th of December, will be received by the undersigned for \$120 pieces of logs, making 572,000 feet, which are yarded and piled up at Tabusintac Beach. When tender is accepted 50 per cent. cash will be required, and the remaining 50 per cent. on the 1st of March, 1916. To Fishermen and Fish Dealers—Kindly favor us with your name and address that we may from time to time mail you information of value. All correspondence answered. Price Lists, Shipping Cards, Stencils mailed on demand. We are established 22 years, and refer you for standing to the Miramichi, Meramich, St. John's, or other local banks. 50-10p.

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# NEWS OF THE COUNTY

Interesting Items Written by The Advocate's Regular Correspondents for its Readers.

## BOUESTOWN NEWS

Dec. 6.—A Sunday school convention was held in the Bloomfield church on Friday, Dec. 3rd. The Doaktown, Boiestown, Parker's Ridge, Holtville and Haysville churches were represented by delegates and the convention proved a decided success.

Mr. M. Hanson, one of the leading workmen on the concrete bridge in building, has the misfortune this week to have his thumb jammed so badly that he was obliged to stop work for a few days.

The Women's Institute of this place was entertained by Mrs. John Whalen on Tuesday evening. The evening was spent in providing for the comfort of soldiers. Luncheon was served about ten o'clock and the Institute adjourned shortly after.

Among those present were Miss Christie Hinehey, Miss Myra McNabb, Mrs. John W. Clowter, Mrs. William Henshaw, Mrs. H. Rice, Mrs. William A. Campbell, Mrs. William MacMillan, Mrs. Melvin Murphy, Mrs. Mabel Brown and Miss Jean Norrall.

Dr. J. D. MacMillan was in town on Friday and Saturday of this week. Our school was closed for a few days this week on account of our teacher being ill with tonsillitis.

Miss Isabelle Hovey of Ludlow is calling on friends here last week.

Miss Beatrice Hovey of Ludlow is spending a few days with her sister Mrs. Adrian Spencer.

The friends of Mr. Kenneth A. Moir will be grieved to hear that he is still suffering from rheumatic fever. He is with his sister, Mrs. Everett Parker of Derby now.

Miss Georgia McLeod of Parker's Ridge is staying the winter with her aunt, Mrs. James Fairley.

## SUNNY CORNER

Dec. 6.—Miss Gurnetta MacDonald who has been confined to her home with tonsillitis is able to be about again.

Mrs. Austin Butler called on Mrs. Chas. Mullin Sunday evening.

Mrs. William Ingram and baby daughter, spent Friday and Saturday with Mrs. Allen Tozer.

Miss Francis Nowlan is spending the winter with Mr. George Leach.

Miss Laura Sheppard spent the former part of the week with her sister at Mrs. M. Hagon's.

Messrs. Harold Nowlan and Howard Macteach have returned from the lumber woods.

## SILLIKERS NOTES

Dec. 6.—The many friends of Mrs. Robert Tozer are pleased to learn that she is convalescing.

The roads in this vicinity are very bad at present.

Mrs. Jacob Silliker was the guest of Mrs. Wilbur Dunnett on Friday.

Mr. Will Silliker came home from the woods, but expects to return again this week.

## TABUSINTAC SCHOOL REPORT FOR NOVEMBER

Following are the leaders in the examinations in Tabusintac, District No. 7, for November:

Grade V—John Hierlihy 1, Clara Hierlihy 2, Annie Graham 3.

Grade IV—Mary Brown 1, Bertha Murphy Hierlihy 2, Annie Green, Gertrude Murphy, Alice Murray.

Grade III (a)—Jean Green 1, Sterling Murray 2.

Grade III (b)—Frank Symonist 1, Ernest Hierlihy, Linn Graham 2, E. Simpson 3.

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(Not from our regular correspondent)

Dec. 4.—The weather for the past week has been very favorable, but the snow-storm on Thursday made it very disagreeable.

Misses Minnie Ogilvie and Frances Whyte spent Saturday in town.

Pte. John Rolley, of St. John, spent the week-end with his cousin, Miss Zaida Hinton here.

Mrs. Joshua Saunders and little son Yorkie, are visiting Mrs. Saunders' parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Hannan here.

Otto Betts, Ben Holmes and Perle Betts, who enlisted with the North Shore Battalion some time ago, left for Moncton on Thursday night for Newcastle.

Mrs. Emory Betts was the guest of Mrs. A. Hannan on Sunday last.

Misses Bossie and Sadie Watkin made a flying trip to Fredericton on Wednesday.

Miss Zillah Betts was the guest of Miss Grace Holmes on Saturday afternoon.

We are glad to hear that Master Ashley Swain who was confined at his home for several weeks with pleurisy, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ballard and family have returned home after visiting Mrs. Ballard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mountain of Blackville.

The schools are all busy here preparing for their Christmas examinations.

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Mr. Palfman of Moncton, was in town on Tuesday.

Miss Jonnie Vye, who has been the guest to Miss Edna Vye, returned home on Wednesday.

Miss Mary Steele is visiting friends at Carroll's Crossing.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lannigan and little daughter Julia, left for St. John on Wednesday morning, where Mr. Lannigan has accepted a position with McAuley Bros.

Mr. Donald Morrison of Newcastle, was in town on Tuesday.

Mr. Harry Russell of Doaktown, was in town on Wednesday.

Miss Edna Vye spent Wednesday in Chatham.

Mr. A. Alcorn spent Friday in Newcastle.

Mrs. Jas. Dale returned from Moncton on Wednesday where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Cate.

Mr. Arnold McLagan, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McLagan, has enlisted with a heavy sloop battery and is now stationed on Partridge Island, Nova Scotia, in St. John and enlisted in that place.

Mr. Andrew McRae spent Thursday in Dalhousie, the guest of his son, Mr. Henry McRae, one of the staff of the Bank of Nova Scotia of that place.

Mr. J. H. Dale spent Thursday in Newcastle.

Mr. Benj. Walls spent Saturday in Fredericton.

Rev. Simon Crumby has returned from Dorchester, Mass., where he has been visiting friends for the past two weeks.

Mrs. Thos. Jardine of Renous, spent Thursday in town.

Miss Stella Donovan of Renous, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Henry Brophy.

Mr. and Mrs. George McIntyre are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby boy, Saturday Dec. 4th.

Messrs. Melvin Ross and Leo White, who are working in Boiestown spent Sunday at their homes here.

The many friends of Miss Clara Walls will be pleased to hear that she is home on Saturday. She arrived home on Saturday accompanied by her father, Mr. Benj. Walls, and Nurse Banford. She is recovering slowly.

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Society Doing Good Work For The Boys at The Front—Officers Elected

Doaktown, N. B., Dec. 4.—The Red Cross Society of Doaktown, consisting of twenty-nine members, continues to do as good if not better work than last year. The following are the officers for 1915:

Mrs. Frank D. Swain, President.

Mrs. Henry Swain, 1st Vice-Pres.

Mrs. Thos. Chalmers, 2nd Vice-Pres.

Mrs. Ralph Holmes, Treasurer.

Mr. and Mrs. Lillian Price, Secretary.

The meetings are held every Monday evening at Aberdeen Hotel, in a room furnished by the kindness of Mrs. Henry Swain. All persons in the vicinity who are anxious to knit or sew for the soldier boys may get the material by calling at the Red Cross room.

The ladies of Blissfield have donated the society this year the sum of \$43.65, and have volunteered to knit about three dozen pairs of socks, which shows the active interest taken by the Blissfield ladies in this patriotic work.

Many who are not members of the society have worked faithfully and donated liberally to the work.

The Forsters donated \$25 to Red Cross work.

During the year ending Oct. 31, 1915, the Doaktown Red Cross Society collected \$273.34. Fifty dollars was forwarded to Lady Tilly, to have a "Doaktown Bed" placed in the Duchesne of Cornwall Hospital, and \$40 was forwarded for hospital supplies for the same hospital.

The following goods were sent to headquarters for shipment: 126 pairs socks, 45 pairs wristlets, 4 mitts, 12 scarfs, 16 Balachava caps, 24 handkerchiefs, 48 wash-cloths, 2 flannel shirts, 27 surgical shirts, 29 pneumonia jackets.

Leap before you look and you will look foolish.



For Christmas Morning

We have a nice assortment of Ganong's 5c. and 10c. packages that will bring joy to lots of little folks when they empty their stockings Christmas morning.

You will be glad you looked them over.

## Santa Claus

has made our store his headquarters and you will find a full range of Toys, etc., including—Dolls, Dorothy Bags, Collar, Handkerchief and Glove Boxes, Child's Silver Sets, Knife, Fork and Spoon, Toy Furniture, Xmas Stockings, Wagons, Doll's Beds, Cradles, Pop Guns, Saw Horses, Horses and Carts, Books, Horses, Camels, Elephants, Dogs, Rabbits, Trains, Snakes, Sulkeys, Water Wagons, Butterflies, Crumb Trays, Baskets, Straw Mats, etc. etc.

## For Mother

We have a few Tea Sets from \$4.50 to \$5.50, Dinner Sets, Green Ottoman, 95 pieces, good value at \$15.00, Xmas Price \$10.00.

Avondale Dinner Sets 95 pieces, good value at \$12.00, for \$9.00 at Xmas.

## Xmas Groceries, Fruit

Geese and Turkeys on or about 15th.

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Good Pastry

Sometimes a person gets tired of their own cooking and welcomes a change. The change, however, in order to satisfy that longing, must be the equal, if not better, than the home cooking. Just now at this particular change of season the good house-wife wishes for the delicious taste of the Bakery House Pies, Rolls and Bread.

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## Lost or Strayed

One yearling Steer, dark brown, marked with half moon out of under part of left ear. Anyone having same please notify DAVID J. GOODFELLOW Cassis, N. B. Box 54

## Central Hay Exchange Office

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The business conducted by the late R. N. WEEKS at Millerton, is being closed and the stock consisting of up-to-date and well kept lines of Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware etc.

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## The Rexall Store

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## Target Tips and Hunting Hints

By Alfred P. Lane

Send questions to Mr. Lane care of this paper.



### A New Questions and Answers Department of Interest to Shooters

Readers are reminded that this column is open to questions which should be sent to me in care of the Sporting Editor, and to discussions by the readers on anything connected with hunting or target shooting.—A. P. L.

#### ACTIONS — AUTOLOADING AND OTHERWISE

Back in the days when the match lock and flint lock musket were the chief weapons of the soldiers, speed or the could hardly be designated by using the word "speed." A good soldier in those days would usually fire at the rate of once every few minutes or so, and considering the number of operations which had to be gone through between shots, it was not so bad at that.

Now-a-days we have a number of types of actions, any of which permit several shots being fired in a second if one is not particular as to whether the bullets hit. In high power rifles the principal types of actions are: Autoloading or self-loading; the sliding fore arm action; the lever action and the bolt action.

Most people are familiar with the lever action, as the first practical repeating rifle was made in this way. The sliding fore arm action is also familiar from the fact that the 22 rifles in shooting galleries operate in this manner. The bolt action is simply a sliding block action in which the operator takes hold of the handle fastened to the bolt and the locks by means of rotating this sliding member.

The average man's conception of the principles which govern the operation of the autoloading or self-loading type of actions is sometimes weird and wonderful. There are three principles which, when applied to rifles, will make them reload themselves.

The first used was the straight blowback type where the breech block was made heavy, and was held forward by a powerful spring. In this type, nothing holds the cartridge into the chamber but the weight of the breech-block and spring. Its advantages are few parts and its disadvantages are wear on the forward end of the chamber owing to the fact that the cartridge is forced away to the rear of the chamber before the bullet reaches the muzzle.

The second method used was gas pressure. In this type, a small hole is cut in the barrel, usually several inches back from the muzzle which is connected by means of a passage way to a piston in a little cylinder. When the cartridge explodes, the bullet travels forward until it passes the hole in the barrel, and then a small portion of the gas rushes through this opening, operates the little piston and other various levers and opens the breech-block. There are no rifles made on this principle now, and it is easy to see the difficulties which are likely to occur in the hands of the average inexperienced user, such as fouling, etc.

The third method used in the recoil operated arm, which, as with the blowback type, depends on the kick of the cartridge to operate the action. It differs from it, however, in that the cartridge is locked into the chamber. The barrel and breech-block recoil together by means of a passage way in front of the bolt as he brings the gun up, depending on his particular method of getting the gun pointed in the direction of the target. It is, therefore, really necessary to be sure that there is nothing under the floor or above the ceiling that bullets can harm, or make them bullet-proof.

R. A. C. Springfield, Ill. I own a 50-70 Springfield (1873) carbine which has been bored smooth. I wish to use it for a shotgun with smokeless powder. How much powder and what kind of powder should I use for a safe maximum load for such game as rabbits?

At the time the bullet is travelling through the barrel its motion from the rest of the way to its extreme rearward position is simply due to the momentum received from the sudden blow delivered by the cartridge head against the breech-block or from the sudden pressure of gas in the gas-operated type. The simplest analogy I can think of is of a man pushing a door closed. His hand rests on it for only a very short time, and then he stops pushing, but the door keeps moving until it closes.

When one stops to consider that now-a-days the self-operating types of actions are so rapid that no man can possibly wiggle his finger fast enough to jam them, and the time necessary in the old days to shoot a series of five shots for instance, one does not become so discouraged with the progress made in this old world of ours.

C. G. J. Sabattus, Me.

1. Where may the Spencer rifles be obtained? Also the Sharp and other older models?

Ans. None of the rifles you mention can be secured at present. Their manufacture was discontinued years ago.

2. Which would you consider the better rifle for bears and deer—32, 35, 351, 401 self-loader? Is there danger of the automatic rifle clogging, and do you consider them as good or better than the Remington autoloading?

Ans. Of the cartridges you mention, the 351 is most satisfactory for bear and deer. Autoloading rifles will not clog or give any trouble if given a reasonable amount of care. As to the relative merits of the two guns, this is a question which you will have to decide by asking a number of your sportsmen friends who own these rifles.

1. We are reorganizing a revolver club in which we had 56 members last year. Will you please give us or tell us where we can get a manual or book of rules and regulations governing revolver shooting? Any information pertaining to safeguarding our range and shooters would be appreciated.

Ans. I would suggest that you write to the United States Revolver Association, J. B. Crabtree, Secy., Yalesville, Conn., who will be glad to give you the rules and regulations governing the revolver shooting, also pamphlets containing some of whom publish very useful books on pistol and revolver shooting, and general target club organization. The most important thing to safeguard your range and shooters is care. No range can be made fool-proof, but of course it is necessary to have the range so laid out that shots that miss the target by quite a margin do no damage, and it is also well to consider that occasionally a shooter will accidentally pull the trigger while the gun is pointed to the target or into the floor in front of him as he brings the gun up, depending on his particular method of getting the gun pointed in the direction of the target. It is, therefore, really necessary to be sure that there is nothing under the floor or above the ceiling that bullets can harm, or make them bullet-proof.

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Ans. As I have said before, I do not recommend reloading with smokeless powder owing to the danger. You can secure from the manufacturers the 50-70 cartridge loaded with shot and a load of black powder. The cartridge is not furnished with a smokeless load.

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## Appeal of Dominion Woman's Christian Temperance Union for Observance of Peace Sunday

In a few short weeks the Christian nations of Europe and America will celebrate another anniversary of the birth of Him whose coming—centuries before—was foretold as the advent of "the Wonderful, the Counsellor, the Mighty God, the Everlasting Father, the Prince of Peace," and of whose presence it was said "of the increase of his government and of peace there shall be no end." Yet this will be the second such anniversary to find all the leading nations of the world, with but one exception, engaged in such a conflict as history has never recorded. Many of the wonderful discoveries of science, which should have contributed to the advance of true civilization, have been prostituted to the base service of war, and so, in this year of grace, the nations are well equipped for the present terrific contest.

We stand aghast at the havoc that is being wrought, the millions that are being spent, the relentless destruction of property, the desolation of happy homes, the fierce slaughter of human lives, and woe when it will all end, and with what an outcome. And with all this, the death throes of an unchristian and unchristian military system? Is this, as many of us dare to hope, a war to end war and to establish a peace based on justice and right? Or shall the peace that follows this struggle be as the peace that preceded it—simply an armed truce—a period of preparation for war on a still more gigantic scale, in which our children, or our children's children, shall be the victims? Who can tell? Of one thing, however, we are convinced, this is not the time for those who believe in an over-riding God—not the "God of Battles," but the God whom our divine Teacher revealed to us as "Our Father in Heaven"—to keep silent. It is not against a church that is silent in the presence of one of the most terrible problems of the era that the "rates of hell shall prevail," but against a church so imbued with the courage and the spirit of its great Head that it fears not and fails not to declare "all the counsel of God."

Beautiful and Christlike as is the work of ameliorating the suffering caused by the war by our service and our gifts, there is, in this awful crisis, a more important work demanded that is silent in the presence of one of the most terrible problems of the era that the "rates of hell shall prevail," but against a church so imbued with the courage and the spirit of its great Head that it fears not and fails not to declare "all the counsel of God."

The Dominion Woman's Christian Temperance Union therefore asks for a day of observance of Sunday, December 19th (or if need be, the following Sunday) as Peace Sunday, and that in the discourses in every pulpit the importance and duty of daily prayer in connection with the war be specially emphasized.

MARY R. CHESLEY, Supt. Peace and Arbitration Dept. Dominion W. C. T. U.

## Canada's Task After the War

### Canadian Scientists Must Search Out New Process to Build Up Successful Enterprises

(Toronto Globe)

The war may not be over till the fall of 1916, but the result is no longer in doubt. In less than a year Canada will have to readjust her productive machinery so that she can supply a quarter-million of returning soldiers withdrawn from industry at various times since August, 1914, but for considerably over a hundred thousand men engaged at present in the production of shells, rifles, uniforms, accoutrements, and general military supplies.

This vast host to be restored to the occupations of peace represents more than one in four of all males in Canada between the ages of twenty and thirty-nine. The census of 1911 showed that the Dominion had a very great preponderance of men, especially between the ages of twenty and thirty-nine, indicating that immigration had consisted largely of men in the prime of life.

There were 385,855 men between the ages of twenty and twenty-five, and 429,435 women. The disparity of the sexes was even greater between the ages of twenty-five and twenty-nine, the men numbering 370,494 and the women 287,684. This marked excess of men over women of corresponding age continues until the period of sixty to sixty-five years is reached, in which the men total 152,718 and the women 132,266.

These figures conclusively prove that tens of thousands of the returning soldiers must be placed in some way, with no family ties drawing them back to the place whence they came, and no home circle to re-absorb them. That fact makes Canada's task much more complex, for it may involve a great congestion of labor at a few points instead of the spreading of the army of the returning soldiers over the entire Dominion.

The need of the moment is complete co-ordination between the various Governmental organizations of the country—national, Provincial and civic—so that the men will be effectively aided in finding places where they can add to the productivity of the Dominion. For the maintenance and the broken down in health, there will doubtless be preference in the filling of posts in the public service, but they will form a relatively small proportion of the total. The great mass of Canada's soldiers and shell makers must become cultivators of the soil, miners, mechanics, and unskilled industrial workers. The railway and the town building booms are over, and tens of thousands of railway laborers and of men formerly employed in the building trades will have to change their occupations.

To accomplish this without serious hardship it will be necessary to set Canadian scientists to work searching out new processes upon which successful manufacturing enterprises may be built up, and to organize the back-to-the-land movement in a way not heretofore attempted. Millions have been spent in the past upon bringing in settlers who, when they took possession of their homesteads, were left to shift for themselves, al-

though wise counsel and financial help were then more needed than ever before. If Canada is to utilize her magnificent grain and pasture lands as the chief source of her future prosperity some of the are bestowed upon and the favors accorded to the manufacturing industries of the cities must be directed to the agriculturist. The Government cannot by legislation enhance the prices obtained by grain-growers for their export surplus, because prices for such products are set in the world's open markets, but it can arrange that the farmer shall be provided with cheap capital through land credit banks such as most progressive nations already have, and it can lessen the cost of transportation, as well as teach the newcomer what to do and what to leave undone in the cultivation of his land.

The great problem of restoring to useful productive occupations a very considerable proportion of Canada's adult male population will be upon us before many months. What are those in authority doing to face and solve it?

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss. Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D., 1915. A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

## ROD AND GUN

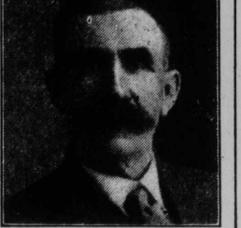
December Rod and Gun, published by W. J. Taylor, Limited, Woodstock, Ont., is on the news-stands and is replete with interesting stories of outdoor life, besides the usual department devoted to Guns and Ammunition, Fishing Notes, etc., which are well maintained. Some of the stories noted are The Hunter's Christmas, Three Polars and a Cree, Hector: A Story of Dog Devotion, Northern Camping Trails, A Just Retribution, Sallie of the Woods, Newland's Captivity, Adventures of Nels alias Ole. A new department which promises to be of special interest is conducted by Arthur Ellison and devoted to the interests of dog lovers under the caption of The Kennel.

## SPURIOUS FIFTY CENT PIECES IN TORONTO

Toronto, Ont., Dec. 4.—Spurious fifty cent pieces of the 1913 coinage have made their appearance in Toronto. They are made from a mould and while a little thicker and lighter than the coins struck off in the mint are an excellent counterfeit, having a good ring and appearance. They have been carefully prepared, and are silver plated and would readily deceive the average person.

## WILL WE EVER WALK ON AIR?

Train Of Thought Inspired By A Letter About "Fruit-a-tives"



MR. D. McLEAN

Orillia, Ont., Nov. 28th, 1914. "For over two years, I was troubled with Constipation, Drowsiness, Lack of Appetite and Headaches. I tried several medicines, but got no results and my Headaches became more severe. One day I saw your sign which read 'Fruit-a-tives' make you feel like walking on air. This appealed to me, so I decided to try a box. In a very short time, I began to feel better, and now I feel fine. Now I have a good appetite, relish everything I eat, and the Headaches are gone entirely. I cannot say too much for 'Fruit-a-tives', and recommend this pleasant fruit medicine to all my friends." DAN McLEAN.

"FRUIT-A-TIVES" is daily proving its priceless value in relieving cases of Stomach, Liver and Kidney Trouble—General Weakness, and Skin Diseases. Get a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size, 25c. At all dealers or sent postpaid by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.



## SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS

The sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter section of available Dominion lands in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-agency for district. Entry by proxy may be made at any Dominion Lands Agency (but not Sub-Agency), on certain conditions.

Duties: Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres, on certain conditions. A habitable house is required except where residence is performed in the vicinity.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter section alongside his home stead. Price \$3.00 per acre. Duties: Six months' residence in each of three years after earning homestead patent; also 50 acres extra cultivation. Pre-emption patent may be obtained as soon as homestead patent, on certain conditions.

A settler who has exhausted his homestead right may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$3.00 per acre. Duties: Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate 50 acres and erect a house worth \$300.

The area of cultivation is subject to reduction in case of rough, scrubby or stony land. Live stock may be substituted for cultivation under certain conditions.

W. W. CORY, C. M. G., Deputy of the Minister of the Interior. N. B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.—64388. 49-6mos.

## THREE SCORE AND FOUR

64 YEARS IS A LONG TIME. A PRODUCT THAT CAN HOLD THE POPULARITY OF AN ENTIRE DOMINION FOR 64 YEARS MUST BE MERITORIOUS DEPENDABLE

## EDDY'S MATCHES

HAVE BEEN THE SAME GOOD MATCHES SINCE 1851. LIKE EDDY'S FIREWARE AND EDDY'S WASHBOARD THEY ARE CONSIDERED STANDARD BY ALL LOYAL CANADIANS UNDER THE "MADE-IN-CANADA" BANNER.

Do you try to buy high-grade printed matter the same as you would pig iron and coal at so much per ton. It can't be done. Why? Because printed matter to be RIGHT must be sixty per cent. brains mixed with forty per cent. of material and mechanical execution. Printed matter turned out of The Advocate Job Dept. is RIGHT.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.

Yesterday is Dead; Forget It-- Tomorrow does not exist; Don't Worry-- Today is Here; Use It!

# WHY WAIT?

Yes, you INTEND to advertise. You fully appreciate the value of advertising. You have seen immense businesses built up by good advertising. But YOU intend to wait a little longer before you place that intended ad. in The Advocate. Certainly, you INTEND to advertise, but not until tomorrow, next month or perhaps until the war is over.

Friend, do you realize the people of Northumberland County are a prosperous people who are NOT going to wait until tomorrow, next month, or until the war is over before they BUY? And they will buy from the man they have faith in—the man who advertises in their trusted home paper, The Union Advocate. This paper covers Northumberland County thoroughly. It goes into the home and STAYS there.

Recently we decided to make The Advocate the leader of all papers in the County of Northumberland in the matter of circulation and second to none of any rural paper in the Maritime Provinces. We spared no expense to achieve this end.

So far as circulation is concerned, we have won out. There is not a corner in Northumberland County in which The Advocate does not circulate. As a matter of news—we lead, others follow. We give the biggest dollar's worth of news of any other paper in the county. We give the news first, while it is fresh. We receive weekly, letters, kind, thoughtful letters, commending us upon our work. Hundreds of new names have been added to our lists within the past two months. We expect these new subscribers will bring many more new ones.

Just think, Mr. Advertiser, what this enormous increase in our circulation means to you! You are not in business for your health—you are spending money in advertising for the purpose of getting increased business. As a business proposition, it is up to you to use the paper with the largest bona-fide paid up subscription list, and that paper in Northumberland County is

## THE UNION ADVOCATE

Make up your mind TODAY, and get settled in a good position for the Christmas trade.

# PROMPTNESS

That it pays to be prompt has been proven time and again by The Advocate Job Department, and proof of this can be seen by the following extract from a letter received from a patron in Rexton, N. B. The reader can judge as to whether he is a SATISFIED patron or not:

"Rexton, N. B., 8th Oct. 1915  
The Union Advocate Office,  
Newcastle, N. B.

Dear Sirs:—You are certainly the promptest people I ever tried for auction posters. I received the last order the very next day after sending you the order.

I had a rush on for auctions lately, and I may have some more before the winter. If so, you will get the work.

I am yours truly,  
(Name withheld.)

This is one of many just such letters as are being received from time to time at this office, and they bear evidence that wherever a mail order customer of The Advocate is found, you can be sure he is a satisfied one. We endeavor to always give our best attention to orders received by mail, large or small, and while we cannot always be as prompt as in the case above referred to, owing to the heavy run of work always on hand, we make a point of delivering the finished work at our very earliest convenience, by the quickest and cheapest (to the customer) route.

You will find the stock suited to your needs, and a satisfactory cost price. Let us have your next order as a trial—WE GUARANTEE SATISFACTION.

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